Docket No. ELTP131WOUS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re **PATENT** application of:

Applicant: Richard C. Carlson, et al.

Application No.: 10/553,026

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Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks, now by three month's extension, in response to the Office Action of December 24, 2008.

Current Listing of Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.